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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): **Raymond Paul COVIT**

For (title): **DIESEL ENGINE EXHAUST PURIFICATION SYSTEM**

1. Type of Application

This new application is for a(n):

☒ Original

☐ Design

☐ Plant

2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. §§ 119(e), 120 or 121)

☒ This new application is also a:

☐ Divisional

☒ Continuation

☐ Continuation-in-part (C-I-P)

of prior Application No. 60/435,412, filed on December 20, 2002, and claims the benefit of such prior U.S. application(s).

3. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.153 (Design) Application

15

Pages of specification

15

Pages of claims

1

Pages of abstract

4

Sheets of drawing

☒ formal

☐ informal

31 TOTAL PAGES

B. Oath or Declaration

☒ Newly executed (original or copy)

2 TOTAL PAGES

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## 4. Additional papers enclosed

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## 5. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

A. ☒ Regular application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	Number Filed		Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a) \$ 750.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	57	- 20 =	37	x \$ 18.00	\$666.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	4	- 3 =	1	x \$ 84.00	\$84.00
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))				+ \$ 280.00	
FILING FEE CALCULATION					<b>\$1,500.00</b>

## 6. Assertion of Small Entity Status

☒ Status as a small entity was asserted in the prior application 60/435,412, filed on December 20, 2002, from which benefit is being claimed for this application under: 35 U.S.C.

☒ § 119(e)    ☐ § 120    ☐ § 121    ☐ § 365(c)

and which status as a small entity is still proper and asserted for this application.

FILING FEE CALCULATION (50% of A, B or C above) **\$ 750.00**

## 7. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

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TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED **\$ 750.00**

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